

## STOCKMEN ARE PROSPERING

Purchases of Land Being Made by Them Proves It.

## REAPING BENEFITS OF EARLY LABORS

Raisers of Cattle and Sheep Buying Big Ranges on Which to Pasture Their Herds.

"The sale of railroad lands continues with an activity that suggests two things," said A. L. Lynch of the Union Pacific land department. "One is that the people who have been in the stock business in the west for the last few years are now beginning to reap the benefits of their early labors and are enjoying an unprecedented degree of prosperity. The other is that the cattle and sheepmen realize the necessity of securing possession of the ranges required for feeding their cattle and sheep."

Applications have just been received at headquarters in this city for two tracts of land, of which two syndicates of sheepmen in Carbon county, Wyo., wish to get possession in order to have plenty of range for their sheep. J. A. Schoonover, representing one of the syndicates, has made application for 7,450 acres of land and P. J. Quayle, representing another syndicate, is negotiating for the purchase of a tract of land in area 12,280 acres.

## COLORADO FOLKS ARE HAPPY

Fruit and Other Agricultural Crops Are Good and Business Is Lively.

"Conditions in Colorado at this time are certainly very satisfactory," said Mr. Arthur B. Smith, assistant general passenger agent of the Burlington, who has returned from a several days' business trip through Colorado. "I traveled over the state quite thoroughly and never found business so good before. The fruit and agricultural crops are excellent. I never saw finer farms than are present in great numbers at various points in Colorado where I stopped. The farms around Grand Junction struck me as being particularly fine. One man who has a forty-acre farm will sell \$10,000 worth of fruit this year. The fortunate individual in formerly a Nebraska newspaper man, J. L. Oliver, who once had a paper at Fairbury, is now looking upon one of the best and most successful fruit growers in Colorado."

During his absence Mr. Smith attended the meeting of the representatives of transcontinental lines west of the Missouri river, held for the purpose of attempting to organize a transcontinental passenger association. He thinks that an association made up of membership of the transcontinental lines will be organized along the lines suggested during the four days' session of the meeting in Glenwood Springs. Recommendations made by the passenger men will be submitted to the executive officers of western lines at their meeting to be held in New York September 18.

## HINT OF EXTENSION TO OGDEN

Guernsey People Think Burlington Will Build to that City.

The opinion is held at Guernsey, the terminus of the Burlington's new Wyoming line, that the operations looking toward the building of the road into Ogdon will soon be started. This same belief is held by many Omaha men who are familiar with the situation, although all reports of this kind have been promptly denied by officials of the Burlington, who would naturally know were any such a project determined upon.

Surveyors Park and Thomas have left Guernsey for Whalen, where they will look after the engineering work on the thirty-five mile line. It is reported that thirty-five teams and two steam shovels will be put to work at once and that the completion of the contract will occupy a year's time. Commenting upon building operations thereabouts, a Guernsey paper says:

"It is very evident that the Burlington intends to make this its main line to Ogdon and the coast. Otherwise why this enormous expense to shorten the track only a 100 or 200 rods? Another evidence is the huge fill approaching the river and the extensiveness of the yards at this place. The Burlington never expends its money merely for show."

## HEAVY TRAVEL IS ANTICIPATED

Many Nebraskaans Will Take Advantage of Low Rates.

Passenger travel to east and west next Monday gives promise of being particularly heavy and indications now are that the big traffic of Grand Army of the Republic week may be repeated on this occasion. The anticipation of the big railroads are all making extensive preparations for accommodation of the crowds and all available equipment will be called into service. The occasion for the big business will be the first day of the "home visitors' excursion. In order to give Nebraskaans an opportunity to go back to their old homes, talk up the benefits and advantages of the state and perhaps induce new settlers, a rate of one fare, plus \$2, for the round trip has been made to nearly all points in the east. Rates of this kind have repeatedly been made from eastern points to the west and the western people are now going to have their chance to travel in the east on cheap rate excursions. That this chance will be improved by large numbers is a foregone conclusion. Advance sale and inquiries for tickets and accommodations next Monday.

## Rumor of Railroad Extension

FURT DODGE, Sept. 6.—(Special.)

It is generally believed here that the Minneapolis & St. Louis is contemplating an extension of its lines south and that Kansas City is the objective point. Many things give color to the belief. The route of the road is again in the field south of Angus and it is supposed are running a line southwest. Surveyors formerly passed through Adams, Adams and Dallas counties and a tax was voted to assist the building of the road in these counties. The tax minus of the road has never been completed and it was not even known that the Minneapolis & St. Louis was behind the move. Since that time the tax has lapsed. Surveyors have again taken the field and it is supposed that the route will again be called upon to vote a tax. It is now known that this is a continuation of the line from Angus with Kansas City in view. In support of the theory that the road is planning to extend its southern line are the extensive improvements which it is making near Fort Dodge on the north and south to Angus. Among these improvements is the big bridge at Kalo over the Des Moines river, which in point of view of size and substantiality is surpassed by few structures of its kind. All other improvements going on along the line to Angus are of the same extensive and substantial nature.

## Big Demand for Engineers

At Rawlins recently a large number of Bremen who have been in the Union Pacific engine service but a short time have been examined by the operating and main-

ten officials for promotion. This condition prevails to a more or less extent over the entire system. The demand for engineers is so great that some difficulty is experienced in manning the engines for the work required.

## POSSES STRIKE TRAIL AGAIN

Possessors Hot Upon Track of Union Pacific Train Robbers.

After losing the trail of the Union Pacific train robbers for the second time the posse was again taken up by a posse in pursuit yesterday and announcement of the capture is expected by General Manager Dickinson and other interested officials at Union Pacific headquarters at any time. W. T. Canada, chief special agent, is directing the pursuit since Mr. Dickinson returned to Omaha.

The trail of the robbers was taken up in Colorado near Mosier, and no slacking of the energetic operations expected to result in the capture will be permitted. United States Marshal Hadsell, who was reported to have abandoned the chase, is in the field after the bandits. The rumor that the trail had been lost without prospect of getting it again and that the United States marshal had given up the chase was false and arose because of Mr. Hadsell's return to Rawlins to get supplies and look after some other matters connected with the pursuit.

## Railway Notes and Personnel

Frank Pearson of the Rock Island up-

ton has returned from a short trip to Newton, Ia.

General Agent Butterfield of the Rock Island is in charge of the line at Lincoln.

An electric railway enterprise has been launched at Jering, to connect the town with South Dakota. The project is the Burlington's Guernsey branch extension.

The meeting of the Western Passenger Association is to be held in Chicago yesterday was called off because of the inability of several of the members who had been in Glenwood Springs to attend the Chicago meeting.

## Hayden Bros.' Pear Sale

Fancy California Bartlett pears on sale for \$1.35 box. We guarantee every box or your money back. HAYDEN BROS.

## PREPARING TO OPEN SCHOOL

Buildings Are Being Put in Condition and All Will Be Ready When Opening Day Arrives.

Duncan Finlayson, superintendent of school buildings, is busy engaged in putting the buildings in shape for the opening of school and expects to have them all ready for occupancy, with the possible exception of one or two that are now being moved to the new West Side site on Forty-eighth and Walnut streets. The three two-room buildings that are to occupy this new site will be located on the extreme west end of the grounds. The old Ambler building has already been located and the two old West Side buildings are on the road to the new location.

The frame building which was moved from the Fawcett site to the Dupont school has been rehinged and repaired and will be used as a kindergarten room. The old building originally had two rooms, but the partition was torn out and all the space thrown into one large room. The main building at Dupont school has also been rehinged and painted.

The two-room annex that formerly stood on the Columbus site has been removed and put in condition for the accommodation of two grades. Permanent brick walks have been laid at Lake and Saunders schools and the grounds at Vinton and Forest schools have been graded and put in good condition.

## PRINTERS REMEDY AN ABUSE

Typographical Union Adopts Resolution Prohibiting Its Members from Leasing Buildings and Materials.

Members of the Omaha Typographical union are very much interested in a new general law of the union which was adopted at the last international convention, and which will go into operation shortly. This law prohibits members of the union from leasing any portion of a printing plant or an entire plant, or from sub-letting it for any period less than one year.

Members of the Omaha union say that there are several men holding cards in this city who make a practice of leasing machinery and type from owners for short periods, after they have secured orders for printing requiring the material and then, as soon as the work is finished, by this means they are able to underbid legitimate houses who have to pay rents and invest their money during dull seasons. This practice operates to the disadvantage both of the employing printer and the journeymen, as the latter generally does his own work. The practice is not confined to Omaha and in some places it has grown to such proportions that it threatens to affect the wages of the journeymen, who look upon it as little better than a racket.

## Miner Falls Down Shaft

LEAD, S. D., Sept. 6.—(Special.)—At the Sunset shaft, near Terry, Samuel Keister, a miner, met with an accident this morning that may prove fatal. He was being lowered to the bottom of the shaft by the night watchman, who had no business to touch the machinery. The cage upon which Keister was being lowered got away and went crashing to the bottom. Keister sustained a broken leg and was internally injured.

## Mortality Statistics

The following births and deaths were reported to the Board of Health for the week ending September 4:

Births—Charles W. Anderson, 225 Grace; Robert A. Devoe, 123 North Nineteenth; Hugh Kennedy, 2742 South Thirtieth; aged 35; Lulu Jones, 2341 Marcy; aged 32; Mary Coyle, Seventh and Webster, aged 35; Lulu Jones, 2341 Marcy; aged 32; Mary Coyle, Seventh and Webster, aged 35; Lulu Jones, 2341 Marcy; aged 32; Mary Coyle, Seventh and Webster, aged 35.

## Sweet Breath I Love

An affectionate letter is sent to your friends when it can be quickly, permanently remedied by Gascara's Candy Cathartic. Druggists, 10c, 25c, 50c.

## Creighton College Opens

The classical department of Creighton university began its year's work this week. The students are busy engaged in the opening examinations of former students about to have already completed and several more have signed their intention of entering later, having made arrangements to begin after the first week. The new students will number about 100 and these are taking the examinations this week. The faculty has been but little change in the faculty. Father Spaulding, a professor of the first academic, being the only new instructor.

## Questions Inspector's Authority

Carl E. Herring, attorney for the Board of Education, says that the city building inspector cannot cancel the building permit for the High school building and has no right to interfere with the building. The permit was issued and is in the hands of the Board of Education. It cannot be recalled by the city engineer or the city attorney, and in case the board refuses to pay the fee of \$117 the building inspector may sue for that amount, but cannot rescind the permit.

## A Real Pleasure

"It is a pleasure to sell Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes the Harmon Drug Co. of Mount City, Mo., "because it always gives our customers complete satisfaction. It is our leader for bowel complaints. This is the only remedy that never fails and that is pleasant and safe to take. When reduced with water and sweetened, children like it."

## BOSTON STORE REMNANT SALE

Today the Grandest Lot of Dress Goods and Silk Remnants Ever Shown.

\$1.50 IMPORTED DRESS GOODS REMT'S 50C

10,000 Yards of Short Lengths of High Grade Silks from A. Peterson, N. Y. Silk Manufacturer at the and 60c Per Yard.

\$1.50 IMPORTED DRESS GOODS, 50c.

The highest cost dress goods remnants in lengths from 2 to 6 yards in suit and wool novelties, ladies' cloths, covert coats, checks, plaids and plain high cost imported fabrics, every yard guaranteed, worth \$1.50, on front bargain square at 50c.

Cassimeres for rainy-day skirts, boys' and men's wear, these are strictly all wool in checks, plaids, stripes and plain goods, in lengths from 2 to 6 yards, enough for a rainy-day skirt, at one-third price, 50c yd. 50c CASHMERE AND SERGE REMNANTS, 25c YARD.

Wool cashmeres and serges in lengths from 2 to 10 yards, many remnants to match, in red, black, navy and evening shades, also chevrons and imported novelty dress goods, checks and plaids, all go at half price, 25c yd.

50c SILK MOUSSELINE DE SOIE, 15c YD. Hundreds of yards of pure silk mouseline de soie in black, from 2 yards lengths up, but all of them match, enabling a lady to make a waist or entire suit from these beautiful mouseline de soie remnants, at 15c yd.

Silk mouseline de soie in short remnants, lengths of one-half, three-quarters and one yard and upward, in black and colors, many to match, go according to length of remnant at 1c, 2c, 5c and 10c per remnant.

Having purchased the short lengths of many of the Peterson silk manufacturers, including sample pieces that have been manufactured as experiments, all exclusive designs in lengths from one yard to 10 yards, exceptional high grade goods, go in our Friday remnant sale at 4c and 8c yd.

Short lengths of silks, an entirely new lot in lengths of one-half, three-quarters, one yard and up, go according to length of remnant at 2c, 5c, 10c, 15c and 25c per piece.

## GRAND REMNANT SALE IN BASEMENT

All kinds of cotton goods on sale to-morrow, in long mill remnants, at less than one-half price.

All the light print remnants, 25c yd.

All the short remnants of all kinds of summer lawn, 1c yd.

All the print remnants, 4c yd.

All the percale remnants, 5c yd.

All the 36-inch percale remnants, 6c yd.

All the drapery satens, denim, cretonne, etc., 10c yd.

All the short remnants of plain colored percale, 2c yd.

All the balance of the light colored French and Scotch gingham remnants, 4c yd.

Outing flannel remnants, 5c yd.

White India linen remnants, forty inches wide, 10c yd.

Fancy nainsook remnants, 8c yd.

10,000 yds. imitation French flannel remnants, looks like the 66c goods, go at 10c yd.

And hundreds of other mill remnants in the basement today.

BOSTON STORE, OMAHA, N. W. Cor. 16th and Douglas Sts.

## POSTOFFICE DOES BUSINESS

Stamp Sales for August the Largest in Its History—Newspaper Postage Also Big.

The stamp sales at the Omaha postoffice for the month of August eclipsed the sales of that month for any year in the history of the office, the total receipts, exclusive of the money order business, aggregating \$22,059.25, which is \$3,122.46 more than the sales for the corresponding month last year.

The newspaper postage for the month brought into the office \$2,019.21, being over \$100 a day for each workday of the month, an amount never before realized from this source.

The wolf in the fabric put on sheep's clothing because if he traveled on his own reputation he couldn't accomplish his purpose. Counterfeiters of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve couldn't sell their worthless balms on their merits, so they put them in boxes and wrappers like DeWitt's. Look out for them. Take only DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cures piles and all skin diseases.

## More Cheap Excursions

September 1, 1900. Remarkable! The season is at its height. Cool weather. Altitude, 3,400 feet. Healthful climate. Good place to spend a vacation.

HOT SPRINGS, South Dakota.

The trip is easily made via the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley railroad. Saturday excursions September 1, 8, 15, 22, 29. Limit, October 31, 1900.

Saturday and Tuesday excursions on sale at all points on "North-Western Line."

Sioux City, Missouri Valley, Omaha and west thereof in Nebraska.

Tuesday excursions, September 4 and 11, also on sale at points on "North-Western Line" and connections east of the Missouri river.

Rate—One fare, plus \$2, for round trip. Limit, October 31, 1900.

Dates sale—September 1, 4, 8, 15, 18, 22, 29.

For pamphlets telling all about hotels, scenery, climate and cures, call on any agent North-Western Line.

## Attention, Monoclees!

Sir knights, their ladies and friends, will have a grand outing on Sunday, September 9, at Lake View, Iowa, when the Omaha & Chicago & Northwestern railway.

Good fishing, boating, bathing.

Round trip from Omaha, \$1.50. Come and bring your friends. Tickets on sale.

Tracy's cigar store, Sixteenth and Douglas.

Harty's cigar store, 215 North Sixteenth street.

Morton & Son's store, 1509 Dodge street.

Sherman & McConnell's, Sixteenth and Dodge streets.

H. F. Bangs's, 2224 Cumming street.

Hart's cigar store, 1625 North Twenty-fourth street.

Chicago & Northwestern ticket office, 1401 and 1403 Farnam street.

## Miners Shut Down

MIDDLESBORO, Ky., Sept. 6.—All the mines in this district will shut down today. The miners' union having ordered the men out until the 10th of the month, the date set for a conference to be held, and an agreement will probably be reached, and a scale fixed for the coming year. About 20 men in this district are on strike.

Regret Action of Union Members.

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—The national officers of the Women's Christian Temperance union met today at their headquarters at Room 200, Evanston. Among other matters discussed was the prayer chain inaugurated by some of the members of the union for the defeat of President McKinley at coming election. They were unanimous in regretting this action and will not cooperate with the plan.

Mothers endorse it, children like it, old folks use it. We refer to One Minute Cough Cure. It will quickly cure all throat and lung troubles.

## CLOSED ALL DAY FRIDAY

Continental Clothing Co. Closes Its Doors to Get Ready for a Big Sale.

Having made a settlement with the creditors the franchise has turned the stock over again to the Continental. Manager Danahie has decided to close all day Friday and mark the entire stock at such prices as will make this the greatest sale Omaha has ever had.

No cheap goods have been bought for the sale. He will sell the goods on hand without regard to cost in order to raise a large amount of money in the next ten days. Open Saturday morning at 8 o'clock.

Saturday September 8th.

The greatest price reduction clothing sale ever held in Omaha.

The reliability of the Continental clothing is well known and the prices that will be made should clean out the entire stock in a few days.

Watch for prices tomorrow.

And bring the paper with you.

And come early Saturday morning.

Seasonable goods will be sold at prices never before heard of.

CONTINENTAL CLOTHING COMPANY.

N. E. Corner 15th & Douglas.

## REDUCED RATES ON SEPT. 10

Via Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway.

On September 10 and 26 the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway will sell round trip tickets from Omaha to—

Chicago and return ..... \$14.75

Milwaukee and return ..... 16.75

St. Paul and return ..... 12.65

Minneapolis and return ..... 12.65

Dubuque and return ..... 12.10

Spirit Lake and return ..... 12.10

Elgin, Ill. and return ..... 12.90

La Crosse, Wis., and return ..... 13.25

Madison, Wis., and return ..... 15.18

And to all points on their lines in Iowa, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota and the northern peninsula of Michigan, at one fare, plus \$2 for the round trip minimum selling rate \$7. Tickets limited to October 31.

F. A. NASH,

General Western Agent,

1504 Farnam St., Omaha.

## Good Fishing

Spirit Lake, Okoboji, Lake Washington, Waseca, Eagle Lake, River Falls, Roton Springs, Rice Lake, Bayshore, Ashland, Gable, Watermeet, numerous lakes near St. Paul and Minneapolis.

They are all good fishing places and are quickly and comfortably reached by the Northwestern Line.

Cheap rate excursions August 21 and September 7-21. Limit, October 31, 1900. City ticket office 1324 Farnam street. Tel. 316.

## Handsome Souvenir

of views enroute to California; cuts all finished in beautiful colors. Copies can be obtained at address below.

UNION PACIFIC.

ONLY ROUTE TO THE PACIFIC COAST and all principal western points.

City ticket office 1324 Farnam street. Tel. 316.

Awaking in the morning and having severe pains in your back is caused by your kidneys being weak. Take Cramer's Kidney Cure. That will strengthen them. Sold by all druggists.

## Want Bluff Graded

A resolution was passed by the Board of Education at its last meeting, requesting the Board of Public Works to investigate the bluff which overhangs the Pacific school grounds and to have it graded in.

## Gives Great Relief, 75c.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC, CHOLERA AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY.

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